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### REMARKABLE STORY.

A remarkable story comes from Amherst county of a live terrapin having crawled out of the stomach of a man when he died. The negroes are greatly excited over the matter. A special from Roxbury says: Sam Crump, a young negro man about 30 years old, was taken about two years ago with what was thought to be dyspepsia. His stomach began to swell. After consulting several country physicians, who could do nothing for him, he was advised to go to Richmond for treatment. After being there some time he was turned away, as the case was a stubborn one and baffled the skill of all physicians. At times he claimed he could feel a crawling sensation, as if something was gnawing at his stomach. Finally an old colored woman told him she could make a cure of him; that he had been tricked, and the feeling he experienced was a terrapin, and that if he would pay her \$100 she would cure him. The poor doctor sold his cow and all his belongings and employed the woman. She commenced to use roots and various other things. The man said he was getting better, but the second dose she gave to kill the terrapin killed Crump. A reliable colored man said he was at the house when the man died; that he had swollen to the size of a sugar barrel and burst open, and a live terrapin or turtle, which weighed about four pounds, crawled out of him. It was perfectly blind and the shell was soft. Two young women got off the train of the Southern yesterday evening about 10:00 for his body last year by one of the medical colleges. Undoubtedly there is a great mystery surrounding the case. [Norfolk Landmark.]

DRANK WHISKY FROM GRAVE.—A Fourth of July picnic held near Brumley, Miller county, Texas, Friday, takes the prize for unusual features. In 1855 Matthew William Wilson died in the village of Brumley. In accordance with his dying request a huge demijohn of whisky was placed in his arms and buried with him. He also directed that at the end of seven years the coffin be opened and the demijohn removed, and that the liquor should be drunk by a picnic party on the Fourth of July. The will directed that feasting, dancing, drinking, and all sorts of merry-making should be indulged in without restraint, and declared that his spirit would join the revelry. The end of the seven years came right in the midst of the civil war, and the grave and demijohn were forgotten. The celebration with Wilson's whisky was postponed until the present year. A grandson of Wilson headed the fête and saw that everything was carried out to the letter. There was a large attendance, and the demijohn's contents were distributed among the crowd, the drinkers pronouncing it first-class stuff.

ALLIGATOR AT CHICAGO.—Chicago's famous river made a record yesterday. It gave up an alligator two and a half feet long. Bridge Ironworker Burke, of the Twelfth street bridge, who nearly lost his life in the swift current under the bridge fishing out the reptile, has the stranger in a barrel of water near the shanty. He made a noise on the end of a rope, and, crawling out on the abutment, dropped the rope over the animal's long snout. A jerk by the 'gator, and over came the ironworker. Burke sank beneath the surface and so did the alligator. The noise slipped off the animal's head and soon he was headed for a base of a pile. Feeling confident that he could capture the alligator, Burke swam to him, and, hastily slipping the rope to the officer, who lifted the captive upon the bridge.

SENT HIS WHISKERS C. O. D.—James Robinson, of Germantown, Pa., mourns his 30 years' growth of thick, red whiskers. Three ruffians, he alleges, dragged him to a lot, threw him to the ground, and one miscreant cut off the whiskers while the other two held him fast. Then, adding insult to injury, the trio expressed C. O. D. to Robinson a package containing the whiskers, on which he paid a charge of 25 cents. Robinson is naturally indignant. His friends do not recognize him, as it was necessary for him to get a clean shave. Robinson lost his whiskers because he resented annoyances to his hard-luck, Mrs. Michael Cassidy, whose door-lack was repeatedly rung on Saturday evening. He sat down on the stoop to wait for the doorbell pullers, who grabbed him as he waited. Then the whiskers went.

JULY CORN TOUCHES \$3.—The grip of the Gales crowd on the local supply of contract corn was again made evident in Chicago yesterday, when July corn broke the record of recent years by going to \$3. The next sale was at \$3. The market opened with extra for this month's delivery wanted all the way from 77 to 79¢. All former bids hesitated below 80 cents. Later reports of further precipitation in the West frightened shorts, and the

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